

Protocol when attending Mass

If you are intending to attend for Sunday Mass then it will be necessary to book your place since numbers are restricted and we are required to keep contact information for Track and Trace procedures for 21 days. To book a place please ring me on 01709 812147 or 07765075702.

At this time the church does not make the wearing of masks mandatory. However you may have read that wearing masks in enclosed spaces is an effective way of ensuring that we don't inadvertently pass on the virus. Masks will be worn by any minister distributing Communion to others.

When coming to church it will be necessary to follow the following protocol:

1. To help maintain social distancing the church will operate a one way system. Entrance will be by the main doors and exit via the side door leading to the Parish Room.
2. If to avoid overcrowding at the entrance it is necessary to form a queue then please form that on the Carlisle Road side of church, remembering social distancing requirements.
3. Please read the notices before entering church.
4. Sanitise your hands as you enter church.
5. Follow the one way system. Follow the directions of the steward
6. Do not enter the sanctuary area or either side chapel.
7. You are asked to remain seated throughout Mass. There will be no singing or sign of peace.
8. Holy Communion will be brought to you and you are to remain seated whilst receiving.
9. Communion will only be given in the hand, please stretch out your hand towards the minister so that communion can be placed on the palm of your hand.
7. Leave church by the door to the left of the Sanctuary, the steward will direct you when to leave.
8. If you have any offering or 100 club money to leave please place it in the bucket close to the exit.
9. Sanitise your hands as you leave.

N.B. The toilet is only available for use on request and all hard surfaces are to be disinfected after use. If the users is unable to disinfect the toilet is to remain locked until it is.